

Atty Docket: 020530

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Seiji UMEMOTO

Serial Number: 09/734,721

Group Art Unit: 2874

Filed: December 13, 2000

Examiner: Rahll, Jerry T.

For: PLANE LIGHT SOURCE UNIT AND LIQUID-CRYSTAL DISPLAY DEVICE

## AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

July 2, 2002

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

- Small Entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- A verified statement to establish Small Entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For		Present Extra	Small Entity	Large Entity	Additional Fee
Total Claims	26	20	=	6	X \$9	X \$18	108.00
Independent Claims	2	3	=		X \$40	X \$80	
First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claims \$135 270							
TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED:							108.00

IECHNOFOGA CENLER 5800 70T -8 5005 BECEINED Enclosed please find our check in the amount of \$108.00 for the additional claims fee in connection with this amendment. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment for any additional fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 01-2340. Two duplicates of this sheet are attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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